

/ / / **IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend claims 1, 10, and 19, as follows.

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1. An automated data storage system, comprising:
a first media storage library having a first rail system disposed therein;
a garage disposed adjacent said first media storage library, said garage having a
movable rail system disposed therein;
one or a plurality of accessors, wherein said one or a plurality of accessors is
moveably disposed on said first rail system or on said movable rail system, and wherein said
one or a plurality of accessors comprise a vertical pillar, a lifting servo section moveably
disposed on said vertical pillar, two robotic manipulators disposed on said lifting servo section,
and a scanner disposed on said lifting servo section;
wherein said movable rail system can be positioned such that said one or a plurality of
accessors can move between said first rail system and said movable rail system.

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10. An automated data storage system, comprising:
a first media storage library having a first rail system disposed therein;
a second media storage library having a second rail system disposed therein;
a garage having a movable rail system disposed therein, wherein said garage is
disposed adjacent said first media storage library and adjacent said second media storage
library;
one or a plurality of accessors, wherein said one or a plurality of accessors is
moveably disposed on said first rail system, or on said second rail system, or on said movable
rail system, and wherein said one or a plurality of accessors comprise a vertical pillar, a lifting

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servo section moveably disposed on said vertical pillar, two robotic manipulators disposed on said lifting servo section, and a scanner disposed on said lifting servo section;

wherein said movable rail system can be positioned such that said one or a plurality of accessors can move between said first rail system and said movable rail system, and wherein said movable rail system can be positioned such that said one or a plurality of accessors can move between said second rail system and said movable rail system.

19. A method of moving one or a plurality of accessors within an automated data storage system, said method comprising the steps of:

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providing a first media storage library having a first rail system disposed therein;
providing a second media storage library having a second rail system disposed therein;

providing a garage having a movable rail system disposed therein, wherein said garage is disposed adjacent said first media storage library and adjacent said second media storage library;

movably disposing said one or a plurality of accessors on said first rail system;
positioning said movable rail system to be substantially colinear with said first rail system;

moving said one or a plurality of accessors from said first rail system onto said movable rail system;

positioning said movable rail system to be substantially colinear with said second rail system;

moving said one or a plurality of accessors from said second rail system onto said

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movable rail system;

wherein said one or a plurality of accessors comprises a vertical pillar, a lifting servo section moveably disposed on said vertical pillar, two robotic manipulators disposed on said lifting servo section, and a scanner disposed on said lifting servo section.

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